LUNDON :- F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E. C. GEORGE TREET & Co., 30, Cornhill. GORDON of Gorch, Ludgate Circus, E.O. BATES HENDY & Co., 37, Walbrook, E.C. SAMURL DEACON & Co., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street. W. M. WILLS, 151, Carmon Street, E.C. ROBERT WATSON,

15 . Fleet Street. PARTS AND EUROPE:—AMEDER PRINCE. 36, Itus Lafayette, Paris. NEW YORK :- J. STEWART HAPPER, THE CHINESE EVANGELIST OFFICE, 52, West 22d Street

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally :- Bran & Black, Son From-AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND : GORDON & GOYCE, Melbourne and Sydney.

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CHINA: -- Macao, F. A. DE CEUZ. Swa-MANUFACTURERS OF AERATED toic, Quelon & Co. Amoy, N. Moalle. Foochow, Hadde & Co. Shanchai. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY & WALSH. Yokohama, LANE, CRAWroad & Co., and KRILY & Co.

Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING Chemicals, and Goods of every kind of the best description only-no other quality is kept in CORPORATION.

RESERVE FUND,.....\$4,600,000 RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO- \$7,500,000 PRIETORS.

COURT OF DIRECTORS? Chairman-H. L. DALEYNPLE, Esq. Deputy Chairman-J. S. Moses, Esq. T. E. DAVIES, Esq. | Hon. A. P. McEwan. W. H. FORBES, Esq. S. C. MICHAELSEN, H. Hoppius, Esq. L. POESNECKER, Esq. Hon. J. J. KESWICK. ALEX. McConachie, D. R. Sassoon, Esq.

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HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. N Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per annum on the daily or postage paid.

On Fixed Deposits :-For 3 months, 3 per cent, per annum, 4 par cent. ... 5 per cent. n

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, and overy description of Banking and Erchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and the c lief Commercial places in Europe, India, astralia, America, China and Japan. G. E. NOBLE.

Hongkong, April 3, 1890.

Ohief Manager,

NOTIOE.

DULES OF THE HONGKONG BAVINGS' BANK. 1.—The business of the above Bank will

be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their promises in Hongkong, Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250

at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. 3. - Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at

their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corpuration on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 4.—Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.

5, - Rach Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or with drawal. Dopositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and begin-GOVERNMENT, the following Resolutions

6. - Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked Oh Hongkong Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free | 1st-That the ' Hongkong Athletic Club' Hongkong and China.

by the various British Post Offices in 7. - Withdrawals may be made on demand but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book

> For the Honggong & Shanghat Banking CORPORATION,

G. E. NOBLE Chief Manager. Hongkong, January 1, 18 9.

Intimations.

PEAK HOTEL AND TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

TOTICE is hereby given that the PRAK HOTEL & TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED, will NOT, on or after the 1st day of May, 1890, be ANSWERABLE for or PAY ANY DERTS or ACCOUNTS, unless the orders for the supplies be signed by the Secretary to the Company for the time being. By Order of the Board of Directors,

J. WHEELEY. Secretary. Dat. d 21st April, 1897.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A N Interim BONUS of TWENTY PER noon, for the purpose of Confirming the CENT. upon Contributions for the year Special Resolution proposed and passed at 1889 has been d clared. WARRANTS may be had on application at on the 14th Instant the OFFICE of the Society on and after the

Ist May. By Order of the Buard, N. J. EDE,

號六十月四年十九百八千一英

Intimations.

BY APPOINTMENT.

(ESTABLISHED, A.D. 1841.)

HONGKONG.

Wholesale and Retail Druggists.

ANALYTICAL.

FAMILY, DISPENSING AND

GENERAL CHEMISTS.

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all kinds spitable for Amuteurs and Profes-

We beg to state that we import Drugs

Our long experience and intimate acquaint

ance with the Trade, and the best sources of

Producers on the very best terms, and thus give

us an advantage which enables us to offer our

constituents the benefit of a considerable reduc-

tion in the price of all our Specialties as com-

our prices cannot be beaten by any other firm

in the Colony; and we trust it will soon be-

come generally known that, quality for quality

our charges all round compare favourable

those ruling at home.

dispensing of Medicines.

with local rates, and in most instances with

Experienced qualifie I English Assistants

GOODS FOR COAST PORTS.

first steamer leaving after receipt of order.

Most articles can now be sent by the local

Parcel Post. All retail orders of the value

of five dollars and upwards are sent freight

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THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY

HUNGKONG.

BRANCH ESTABLISHMENTS.

A S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED.

THE NEARGEST PRINCEY, SHANGHAI

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THE CANTON DISPENSARY, CANTON

Canal Road.

THE DISPENSARY, FOOCHOW.

THE DISPENSARY, HANKOW.

THE DISPENSARY, TIENTSIN.

LONDON OFFICE

Hongkong, April 16, 1890.

106, Fenchurch Street, E.C.

THE MARINBURK FURNITURE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

is Payable on or before the 10th May, 1890,

to the Company's Bankers, the Hongkong

AND SHANGRAI BANKING CORPORATION.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

HONGKUNG ATHLETIC CLUB.

A 16th Instant, under the presidency of

H. E. THE OFFICER ADMINISTERING THE

T the General MEETING held on the

be, and the same is, hereby formed.

time being of the Colony, be President.

2nd-That H. E. The Governor for the

3rd-That the Hon. A. P. MacEwen be

th-That the duty of preparing draft Rules

5th-That a notification be published in the

Rules, and appoint Officers.

and Regulations be entrusted to Mr.

Young, and that a subsequent Meeting

be called to consider and approve such

local papers inviting Gentlemen who

wish to become Members to send in

their names to Mr. Young without

The Undersigned will be pleased to re-

ceive the names of Gentlemon desirous of

being elected Members of this Club, and it

is hoped that the Community will give the

NOTICE OF CONFIRMATORY

MEETING.

THE SONGEL ROYAH PLANTING

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EX-

SHAREBOLDERS will be held at the

REGISTERED OFFICE of the above named

Company, No. 6, Ice House Lane, Victoria,

Hongkong on WEDNESDAY, the 30th

day of April, 1890, at 4 Clock in the After-

the fast Meeting of the Shareholders held

A full and complete Copy of the Reso-

lution passed at such Meeting may be seen

on application at the Company's Orgica.

Dated the 15th day of April 1800.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

General Managers.

W. H. YOUNG,

Hon. Sec., pro tem.

institution their energetic support.

Hongkong, April 17, 1890.

Vice President.

Hongkong, April 16, 1190.

TOTICE is hereby given that a CALL

of TEN DOLLARS (810) per SHARE

J. MARINBURK,

gram receive prompt attention.

Orders through Local Pest or by Tele-

Whenever practicable, are despatched by

We wish it to be clearly understood that

pared with similar articles sold elsewhere.

supply, enable us to purchase direct from the

siouals, at Moderate Prices.

Apparatus, Chemicals, and Materials of

WATSON & Co., Limited

HONGKONG DISPENSARY

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, APRIL 26, 1800.

Intimations.

H. FOURNIER & Co.

THENDERS will be Received at the 1 - REGISTRY of the Supreme Court until the 15th DAY OF MAY NEXT, for the PUR-CHASE in One Lot of the STOCK-IN-TRADE, GOODWILL and BOOK DEBTS of the Firm H. FOURNIER & Co., of Queen's Road.

For Inventory and other Particulars, EDW. J. ACKROYD. Official Administrator.



PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF HONGKONG. No. 1165.

N Emergency MEETING of the above LODGE will be hold in the FREE-MASONE' HALL, Zetland Street, on MON-DAY NEXT, the 28th Inst., at 8.30 for 9 p.m., precisely. Visiting Brethery are cordially INVITED. Hongkong, April 22, 1890.

LESSONS IN PAINTING.

AR. STANLEY SETON, who has had many years' experience of Teaching both at Home and in the East, is prepared to give LESSONS in OIL and WATER-COLOUR PAINTING. Terms and Particulars may be obtained from Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED.

Hongkong, April 24, 1890. NOTICE OF CONFIRMATORY

MEETING. THE DARVEL BAY TRADING

COMPANY, LIMITED: TOTIUE is hereby given that an EX-TRAORDINARY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the REGISTERED OFFICE of the above-named Company, Queen's Road | entral, No. 9 Victoria, Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, ONLY are employed in the preparation and the 7th day of May, 1890, at 4 o'Clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of Confirming the Special Resolution proposed and passed at the last Meeting of the Strave-

holders held on the 21st Instant. A full and complete Copy of the Resolution passed at spen Meeting may be seen on application at the Company's Office. Dated this 23rd day of April, 1890.

REUTER BRUCKELMANN & Co., General Managers.

No. 73, WYNDHAM STREET. BOARD AND RESIDENCE. COMPORTABLE HOME FOR SINGLE GENTLEMEN. MODERATE TERMS.

Mrs. KJELLER. Hongkon r. July 15, 1889.

OF EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of this Company will be held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 31st day of May next, at Noon, for the purpose of considering, and if approved, of passing the following Resolutions :-

CORPORATION.

1-That the Capital of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation be increased from \$7,500,000 to \$10,000,000 by the creation of 20,000 New Shares of \$125, to be issued at the price of £42 10s. Eastern Shareholders to pay for their allotments at the current rate of the day for Demand Bills on London.

-That the said New Shares be in the first instance, in such manner as the Directors shall prescribe for that purpose, offered to the Shareholders in the proportion of one New-Share for every three Sharet of which on the 31st May, 1890, they shall respectively be the Registered Holders, and that any New Shares not accepted by the Shareholders within the time limited by the Directors for that purp se, be disposed of and allotted by the Directors in such manner and at such price as in their discretion they shall think best in the interest of the Company.

-That payment of the sum of £42 10s. per share for each of the said New Shares be made as follows, viz :--£10 12s. 6d. on the 30th of June, 1890 £10 12e. 6d. ... 30th , Sept., , £10 12s. 6d. , 31st ., Dec., £10 12a, 6d. , 31st , March, 1891

That the Directors issue to Shareholders holding shares not a multiple of Three a Fractional certificate in respect of each share in excess of or balow such multiple, and allot one new share to every person who shall produce three such Fractional Certificates on or before the 30th Jone, 1890, and pay the first instalment in respect thereof.

-That after payment of the first instalment and pending payment of the future instalments, Scrip Certificates in such form as the Directors may determine be issued in respect of such New Shares, entitling the Holders on payment of the remaining instalments, and subject to such other terms as to approval, date for lodging Scrip Certificates, and Scrip Certificates respectively.

allowed out of the profits of the Company on all instalments paid in advance of the dates when the same become due and that from the 30th June, 1899, Holders of Scrip Certificates be entitled to participate in future dividends, in proportion to the amount of instalments paid up, on an equality with the other Shareholders of the Company.

-That interest at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum be charged on every instalment which shall not be punctually paid, and be paid with such instal--That all moneys received from premiums

on the said Now Shares be added to the Reserve Fund. For the HONGRONG AND SHANGHAI

BANKING CORPORATION, WADE GARD'NER, Acting Chief Manager. Hongkong, April 8, 1890.

Business Notices.

FURNISHING DEPARTMENT.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

HAVE JUST RECRIVED THEIR THEST DELIVERIES OF LACE and COLOURED CURTAINS AND "ART" MUSLINS FOR SUMMER USE, which they are offering at Extraordinary Low Prices. NOTTINGHAM LACE CURTAINS, One Thousand Pairs to Select from, from

A Splendid Selection of ART MUSLINS, from 20 Cents per Yard :- ART MUSLIN CURTAINS, ELECTRIC CROSS STRIPED CURTAINS, FRINGED CURTAINS, FRILLED CURTAINS, THE "PORTLAND" CURTAIN, colored, THE "KENSINGTON" CURTAIN.

"Send for Illustrated Catalogue." One Hundred Different Patterns in Stock. | An Inspection is respectfully invited. All East Year's Patterns Greatly Reduced. Also, an entirely New Stock of DRAPERY and HOUSEHOLD LINENS, TIFFIN and TEA CLOTHS, ANTIMACASSARS, D'OYLEYS, SIDEBOARD CLOTHS

A New Shipment of BRASS and IRON BEDSTEADS and SPRING MATTRESSES Every description of Household Farniture; Estimates and Designs free.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Complete House Farnishers.

Hongkong, April 26, 1890. MARINE HOTEL.

11 BE Undersigned begs to notify the Public of Hougkong and the Coast Ports, that he will OPEN the MARINE HOTEL, on or about the 1st May. THIS PIRST-OLASS HOTEL

Is situated on the Prays, West, opposite the OLD P. & O. WHARF, and is newly built after the designs of the Liboust European Hotels- he BEDROUMS, BATH-ROOMS, 773 &c., are commodious, well Ventilated and well Furnished, and are suitable for Single. or Married Persons. The DINING ROOM is large and looks on the Harbour. The TABLE D'HOTE will be supplied with the best the market can provide.

The BAR and BILLIARO ROOMS are on the Ground Floor, and will be fitted up in superior style. "NGLISH AND AMERICAN TABLES. WINES and LIQUORS of the best qualities and Brands only will be supplied. The Undersigned therefore begs the patronige of the Public, hoping to give every

JAS. EDWARDS, Proprietor. 52

LSTERS and INVERNESS CAPES. | New FELT HATS (latest styles). CHESTERFIELD and COVERT COATS. CHEVIOT and SAXONY MUITINGS. STYLISH TROUSERINGS. RACING COLORS.

RIDING BREECHES. LADIES' HABITS. LADIES JACKETS. LADIES' ULSTERS.

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers and Gentlemen's Outfitters: NEW GOODS. DRAB SHELL HATS Single and Double TERAL HATS BOOTS and SHOES.

> GENT'S DRESS SHIRTS. GENT'S UNDERCLOTHING. TRAVELLING RUGS and MAUDS GLADSTONE BAGS. PORTMANTEAUS.

Victoria Hotel.

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong. THIS P tensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Oricos (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horars in the place. The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation wasted TABLE DELOTE Bindwill be found to be of the heat description. HUNGKUNG & SHANGHAI BANKING

large DINING HALL. The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD and Smoking Rooms, . NOTICE is hereby given that A SPECIAL The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

Messre. DORABJEE & HING KEE. Proprietors.

Hongkong, Soptomber 16, 1885.

FURNISHING DEPARTMENT JUST RECEIVED

TOE OREAM FREEZERS.

TOE PITCHERS ICE HAMMERS.

GLASS AND EARTHENWARE FILTERS. W. POWELL & Co.

- VICTORIA EXCHANGE, April 19, 1890. Intimations.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONTRIBUTORS.

BONUS of TWEATY PER CENT. upon Contributions for the year 1889 bas This Day been declared. WARRANTS may be had on application at

the above OFFICE on and after the Ist JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. CANTON INBURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

Hongkong, April 16, 1890. THE HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAMWAYS COMPANY,

LIMITED. AT OTICE is hereby given to Holders of will not be recognized. SHARES in the above Company bearing the following Numbers :-

484, 511/520, 561/565, 571/589, 611/620, 681/690, 771/785, 791/810, 961/990, 1111/1116 1071/1080 1121/1125, 1186/1190, 1225/1226 and 1229/1230,

on which the Second Call of \$50 per share, due 31st July, 1889, is still unpaid, and that otherwise as the Directors may pre- unless the said Call, with Interest at the scribe, to be registered as the Holders | rate of 9 per cent. per annum, he PATD to of the Shares represented by such the Horakona & Shanghai Banking Con-PORATION, or the GENERAL MANAGERS at the 6-That interest at the rate of 5 per cent. Company's Office, Nos. 50 & 52, Queen's per annum (free of income tax) be Read Central, on or sevent THE 17TH MAY, 1890, the Shares will be liable to be forfeited.

MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.,

General Managers.

Hongkong, April 24, 1890. SOCIETÉ FRANÇAISE DES

CHARBONNAGES DU TONKIN. THE General Accused MEETING will All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods 1 teke place at Hongkong, on the 31st May, 1890, at the RECESTERED OFFICE in

Victoria Buildings, at Noon, 12 o'Clock. ORDER OF THE DAY: Report presented by the Board of Directoral the 27th Instant will be subject to rent. Report of the Comm scioners Approval of Accounts. Election of Director.

Election of Commission ?. BAVIER OHAUFFOUR. Managing Director. Hongkong, April 19, 1890.

Notices to Consignees.

GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS FROM LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE,

IIHE Steamship Glenfalloch having ar-I rived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong-KONG & KOWLOON WHARP & GODOWN COMPANY, LABOTED, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 714 4 D. W. TO-DAY. Cargo remaining undelivered after the lst May will be subject to rent. No Kiro Insurance has been effected.

Consignees are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not I later than the 8th May, otherwise they

Bills of Lading will be countemigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, April 25, 1890.

1206/1210, THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED.

FROM LONDON, LIVERPOOL AND SINGAPORE. Title Company's S.S. Chinguo having

arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Horozona And KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY. LIMITED, Kowloon, whence delivery may 756 be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the OFFICE of the Undersigned, before Noon on the 27th Instant, or they will not be recognized. are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 27th Inst., at 4 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godnwas after Optional Oargo will be forwarded unless. notice to the contrary be given before It's m. To-DAY.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Agents.

Hongkong, April 21, 1880

日八初月三年寅庚

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from Messrs. YASHIE & Co., to Sell by Public Auction, on MONDAY.

the 28th April, 1890, at 2 p.m., at their Stors premises, No. 59A, Queen's Road Central, next to the Victoria Hotel,-THEIR ENTIRE STOCK-IN-TRADE

JAPANESE CURIOS. comprising:-

FINE ENAMELLED VASES, BOWLS, PANELS, JARS. &C. HANDSOME IVORY INLAID LACQUERED PANELS IVORY CARVINGS and NITCHKIES.

OLD KANGA WARE, SATSUMA WASES and INCRNSE BURNERS. OLD EMBROIDERIES, LADIES' SILK EM-BROIDERED DESGNO GOWNS, SILK EM-BROIDERED CURTAINS, and Kas IMONOS.

PAPER and SILK EMBROIDERED FOLDING FINE TEA and Copper Sers, Ego shell above Ports on SUNDAY, the 27th Inst., at

KANGA BILL IMARI PLATES, VASES, BOWIS SILVER INLAID BRONZER, BEONEE VASES

and INLAID BURNERS. do., do. do. The whole to be on view on and after

Saturday, the 26th I stant. TERMS OF SALE, -As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Auctioneer.

Hongkong, April 23, 1890.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE INHE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

PUBLIC AUOTION

WEDNESDAY the 30th April, 1890, commencing at 2,30 p.m. sharp, at the Residence of F. A. Mongan, Eaq., No. 1, Albany,-HIS HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

comprising :-MIRROR-BACK HALL and UMBRELLA STANDS, HALL FURNITURE, TAPESTRY-COVER-ED DRAWING ROOM SUITE, CHIPPENDALE MIRRORS, GASELIEUS and GAN BRACKETS PIOTURES, RUGS, TABLES, FENDERS and

IRONS, WEITING TABLE. IRON BEDSTEADS, MARBLE TOP WASHING STANDS, WARDROBES with PLATE GLASS-POOR, DRESSING BUBBAU, BED BOOM SUITE. Erc., Erc., Erc.

Catalogues will be issued previous to the Sale, and the above will be on view on Tuesd w next.

TERMS OF SALE. - As customary. G. R. LAMMERT. Auctioneer.

> Por Sale FOR SALE.

Hongkong, April 24, 1890.

AT THE PEAK. TITHE FALLS' on R. B. L. No. 28 .-A Well-built SIX-ROOMED HOUSE;

at present lot on Leaso for one your, For full Particulars, apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENUY Co., LTD.

Hongkong, November 12, 1889. 2153

Shipping.

Steamers.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steumship

Captain W. D. Modis, will leave for the above places on THURS. DAY, the 1st May, at Daylight.

E. L. WOUDIN. Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co,'s Office,

Hougkong, April 21, 1500. STEAM TO SHANGHAL The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

Capt. M. Dr. HORNE, will leave for the above place about 24 hours after her arrival with the outward English Mails.

E. L. WOODIN,

Superintendent

P. & O. S. N. Co. 's Office. Hongkong, April 25, 1890. 778 have quick despatch. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOBAMA. (Via Inland Sea) The Steamship Monmouthshire. Captain Cuaixa, will be desputched as above on

THURSDAY, the 1st May.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Hongkong, April 24, 1890.

OHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND

PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE.

The Co. s Steamship W. N. ALLISON, Com-mander, will be despatched as above at Daylight, on BATURDAY, the 3rd Proximo. The attention of Passengers is directed

to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. - Rirst-class Saloon and Cablus are situated forward of the Engines Second-class Passengers are berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE Agenta

Hongkong, April 18, 1890.

Shipping.

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

Steamers. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUL The Co.'s Steamship Hailoong, Capt. Goddand, will be despatched for the above

Ports on SUNDAY, the 27th Instant, at Daylight. For Freight w Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

General Managere.

Hongkong, April 24, 1800.

UNION LINE. FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE. The Steamship Northern,
Captain W. Richardson, will be despatched for the

Daylight, instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.,

Hongkong, April 23, 1890. FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE The Steamship

Copt. E. CHRISTIANSEN, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 27th Inst., at 9 a.m.

For Ereight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, April 25, 1890.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for NINGFO, CHEFOO, NEW-

The Co,'s Steamship Captain Hannan, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 28th Instant.

OHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW

and Ports on the YANGTHZE.)

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, April 22, 1890.

(Taking Cargo at through rates to NTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER-DAM, LISBON, LONDON, LIVER-POOL and BREMEN.) The Steamship Capesto J. Voss, will be

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND

HAMBURG.

Ports on TUESDAY, the 20th Instant, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.,

Hongkong, April 21, 1890. EASTLAN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

The Steamship Tannadice. Captain Heins, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 29th Instant, at

LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE AND BATAVIA.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co., Agents

Hongkong, April 23, 1890.

Sailing Vessels. FOR SAN FRANCISCO The 3/3 L.1.1. American Ship. William H. Macy. AINSBURY Master, will load here for the above Port, and

will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to -RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, March 12, 1290. FOR NEW YORK The 3/3 L.1.1 British Barque FIRERRY Master will load here for the above Port, and will

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Notices of Firms.

NOTICE

Hongkong, April 5, 1890.

IVI late of Meiera. BIRLEY & Co., Canton has joined our Firm from this date, and is authorised to Sign the Name of the Firm. HERBERT-DENT & Co. Canton, 15th March, 1890,

A R. KENNETH DOUGLAS ADAMS.

NOTICE;

TITHE Firm of BIRLEY & Co. at this Port has CRASED to exist, and the Goodwill and Business of the same has been handed over to and will henceforth. be conducted by Measrs, HERBERT DENT & Co., of Canton and Macan. BIRLEY & Co. Canton, 15th March, 1890.

DEFERRING to the above all Amounts due to, and owing by BIRLEY & Co. will be settled by RENNETH DOUGLAS ADAMS

Canton, 10th March, 1890. THE PALCONER DIS VACANCIES at Kuw wen. 196 Kowleon, 6th February, 1890

THEATRE ROYAL THIS EVENING.

Under the Patronage of HIS EXCELLENCY FRANCIS FLEMING. C.M.G., Administering the Government.

CONCER will hagiven by The BAND of the AROYLL & SUTHER-LAND HIGHLANDERS,

togother with A SHORT PERFORMANCE By the ! LORNE ATHLETIC CLUB.! The proceeds will be devoted to a Charitable

To Commence at 9 p.m. Tickets may be obtained and Scats roserved at Mussia. KELLY & WAL-H'S. Prices -- Reserved Seats, 21.25. Unraserved Tickets, St each. To be obtained at the Door, at Messrs. KELLY & WALSH and from the Officers, Sergt, Major or Band Master of the Regiment. Hongkong, April 20, 1890.

To Let.

TO LET. TROM 1st February next, Nos. 53, 55 and 57, PEEL STREET.

EDWARD GEORGE. Hongkong, January 9, 1899. TO LET.

THE RESIDENCE, No. 14, ALBANY ROAD, in occupation of S. C. MICHAELgen, Esq. (overlooking Botanical Gardens)

M. J. D. STEPHENS, 18, Bank Buildings. Hongkong, February 11, 1890.

TO LET. THE TOP FLOOR of Gibb, Livingston . & Co.'s Hong, consisting of Five SPACIOUS ROOMS and Three BATH. ROOMS, suitable either as Offices or

Dwelling Apartments. For terms, apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENCY Co., LTD.

Hougkong, January 14, 1890. HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LTD.

TO LET. THAT, Suite of OFFICES on the First _ Froon of the Company's Premises in

ICE House Lays, at presont occupied by Mossrs. Holliday, Wise & Oo., with entreuce from Queen's Road. Possession from ist March next. TWO GODOWNS on the GROUND FLOOR

which can be let in connection with the above Office, or separat ly as desired. With immediate possession, ONE ROOM on the First Floor of the same Premises, suitable for an OFFICE, with entrance from the South side of the Building.

For Full Particulars, apply to the MANA GER at the Depot, or to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, January 27, 1890.

TOOMS in 'College Chambers.' No. 9. SEYMOUR TERRACE. STONEHENGE, ROBINSON ROAD, from

No. 5. PEDDER'S HILL, from 1st May. DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, April 1, 1890.

TO LET-AT THE PEAK. DUNNOTTAR, R.B. Lor No. 20, for 1 year. From 15th April, 1890.

Apply to OFFICE OF THIS PAPER. Hongkong, February 10, 1890.

TO LET. HOUSE in WEST TERRACE. Entry let May.

G. C. ANDERSON, 13, Praya Central.

Hongkong, March 29, 1890. TO LET.

ST FLOOR of HOUSE, No. 15, PRAYA 2ND FLOOR OF HOUSE, No. 64, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

LAI HING & Co., No. 153, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, March 21, 1990. TO LET.

NO. 3, MORRISON HILL. Entry, 1st June.

G. C. ANDERSON, 13, Praya Central.

TO LET. Possession from 1st April.

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Hongkong, March 28, 1890.

Not Responsible for Debts.

ATrither the Captain, the Agents, nor Omnera will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or. Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-D. T. PENNEY, American ship, Capt. D. R. Rodick - Gibb, Livingston & Co.

Escont American barque, Captatu Robi. Lyle, Captain. WM. H. MACE, American alup, Capt. J. A. Amsbury .- Order.

Notices to Consignees.

UNION LINE

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE. ITHE S.S. Northers, Capt. RICHARDSON, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignoes of Cargo are hereby requested to sond in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their

Goods from alongside. The Steamer is her hed at Kowloon Piers and Cargo impeding her disolarge will be at once landed and stored at Consignous' risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or beforethe 29th Inst. or they will not be recognized. RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, April 22, 1890.

STEAMSHIP SAGHALIEN. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London O ex S.S. Pauro and Tigre, from Havro ex S S. Tigre, and from Bordeaux ex S.S. Egriand des Vergues, in connegtion with the above Steamer, are hereby intormed that their Goods-with the exception of Opinia, Treasure and Valuables -are being handed and stored at their risk 58 at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees before Noon To-DAY (Thursday), requesting

it to be harded here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after THURS-DAY, the lat May, at Noon, will be subject to rent, and landing charges at

one cent per packet per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me on or. before the 3rd May (Saturday), or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Hongkong, April 24, 1890. FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

THE S.S. Aglaia, Capt. E. CHRISTIANSEN, having arrived from the above Ports. Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersigmature by the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from

Optional Cargo will be forwarded uness notice to the contrary be given before Any Cargo impoding her discharge will

be landed into the Godowss of the Hong. KONG, KOWLOON WHARE & GODOWN Co., Land, and stored at Consignees' risk and No Claims will be admitted after the

Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 29th Inst. will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods to be left in the Godowns, where they will cexamined on the 20th Inst., at 4 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

SIEMSSEN & Co.,.

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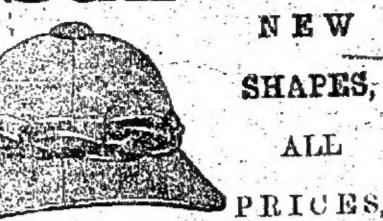
CALCUTTA." The Steamship Arrateon Apear,
Captain J. G. Spence,
will be despatched for he above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the order.

30th Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to . DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, April 26, 1890,

Business Notices.

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DIRECT FROM MANUFACTURERS.

HONGKONG TRADING COMPANY. (LATE THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COY., LTD.)

FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship

Capt. MacGregor, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 28th Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, April 26, 189). THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIE COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA VILLAMOY. The Co.'s Steamship Captain Coppan, will be desputched for the above Port on MOND 1Y, the 28th Instant, di

For Freight or Passago, apply to RUSSELL & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, April 26, 1890.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. Arratoon Apear having arrived f om the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the HONGRONG AND KOWLOON WHARP AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns, at West Point, whonce delivery may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 2nd Proximo will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. · Consignees are also hereby informed, that all Claims must be made immediately, as

none will be entertained after the 2nd Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, April 26, 1890. CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP

COMPANY. KING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, CANADA, THE UNITED STATES, AND EUROPE,

AND OTHER CONNECTING

RAILWAY LINES & STEAMERS. THE British Steamship PMRTHIA, 3,127 Tone Register, Capt. WALLACE, will be despatched for VANCOUVER, B.C., rid NAGASAKI, INLAND SEA, KOBE and YOKOBAMA, on THURS-DAY, the 15th May, at Noon.

To be followed by the S.S. BATAVIA on the 12th June, and S.S. ABYSSINIA. Connection will be made at Yokohams with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports, and at Vancouver with Pacific Coast N. Co. Points, by the regular Steamers of the PACIFIC COAST STEAMSHIT COMPANY and

other Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-

Atlantic lines of Steamers. First-class Fares granted as follows :-To Vancouver & Victoria, (Mex.) \$210.00 To Montreal, New York, &c. 290.00 To Liverpool 325.60 To other European points at proportionate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service, and the Imperial Chinese and Japanese Customs, to be obtained on application.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to hir. D. E. BROWN, District Freight Agent, Vancouver, B.C. Freight will be received on Foard until p.m. on the 14th May.

All Parcels must be sent to our Office and should be marked to address in full and the same will be to ceived by us until 5 p.m. the day previous to sailing. For information a- to Passage of Preight, apply to

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Hongkong, April 26, 1890 DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA

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La.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Houghong, April 26, 1890. THE HONGKONG MARINA, LIMITED.

THE DIRECTORS Require, immediately, the Services of a thoroughly Compat. ent MANAGER, for their FLOATING HOTEL in Hougkong Harbour. Nautical experience, though advantageou is not a necessary qualification. Apply stating Salary and giving References, to

Secretary. 3, Benconsfield Arcade, Hongkong, April 26, 1890.

SHIPPING.

J. A. BARRETTO,

ARRIVALS,

April 25, 1890 :--Alwine, German steamer, 400, T. Bendixen, Pakhoi April 21, and Hoihow 23, General. - WIELER & Co.

Johann, German Bleamer, 358, H. Binge, Pakhoi April 21, and Hollow 23, General. -WIELER & Co. April 26 :-Zafiro, British steamer, 675, A. R. Cobban, Manila April 23, Hemp and

Sugar. - Russen L & Co. Tai Lee, Germansteamer, 823, S. Schuldt. Saigon April 22, Rico and Paddy .- A. G.

Daphue, German steamer, 1,395, T. Voiss Kobo April 20, General, -Stemssen & Co. Volumerts, German str . 612, T. Bruhn, Chefon April 20, Beaus-Wielki & Co. Arratoon pear, British steamer, 1,392, T. G. Spence, Calcatta April 10, Penang 17. and Singapore 20, General. - DAVID

Bounday April 7, and Singapore Re General. - CARLOWITZ & Co.

Sassoon, Boxs & Co.

Ancono, British steamer, 1,888, W. D. Madie, Yekoluma April 17, Mails and General, -P. & O. S. N. Co. Dorset, British stramer, 1,718, W. Daniel, Saigon April 22, Rice, Faddy and Fish. -

Rehista, British steamer, 2,174, M. do Horne, Lemion March 8, and Singapore April 21, Mails and General .- P: & O. S. Ertmaroul, Turkish corvette, 1,7:0, Vice-Admiral Osma Pasha, Capt. Ali Boy, Saigon

DEPARTURES. April 26 ---G. M. Stanwood, for Portland, Oregon. Ardyay, for Saigon. Lagraban, for Whampon. Fushun, for Shanghai. Sunakiana, for Whampon. Vortraerta for Whampon. Nizam, for Singapore and Bombay. Albuny, for Sai on. Abusania, for Vancouver. Müke Maru, for Spigon. Chowfa, for Swatow and Bangkok.

CLEARED. Ningpo, for Shanghai.

Changha, for Yokohama Baauto, for Tients'r. Northern, for Yokobama. Whampoo, for Swatow. Joiann, for Holhow and Pakhoi. Hailony, for Coast Ports. Aglaia, for Yokohama.

PASSENGERS.

Per Alwine, from Pakhoi, 35 Chinese. Per Johnn, from Rakhoi, 30 Chinese, Per Zufico, from Manila, Misa Carmen Perero da Bortaluco, Moster Conrado Avilon, Messra Alegandra Loles, G. Henrich, James Gifford, M. Schitesquia, and 98

Per Daphne, from Kobe, Mr Speidel. Per Arratoon . sport from Calcutta, 3 Indiana : from Penang 156 Chinese, 7 women, and 4 children; from Singa ore, Sir Benjamin Simpson, Mesara Lawric, Houard, Milne, 3 Europeans, 141 Chinese, 17 women,

Per Amoy, from Shanghai, 38 Chinese.

Chinese; from ingapore, Mr. Harry Ter in respect thereof. Kuile, and 18 Chinese. For Shanghai . Dated this 14th day of May, 1889. from London, Mr and Mrs Boyle; from

Brildisi, Messra R. Westall, F. Hagus, A.

London, Mesars McCormick, A. Firth, Major Howard Messia Smith, Worthington and Armstrong; from Brindisi, Me Inukaliara, and Rev. Oskikawa; from Port Baid. Rev. T. Cummings, and Rev. R Cumminga; from Ismailia, Messrs P. G. Schumacher and P. S. Schumacher; from Bombay, Viscount Danto, and Mr Robin-

DEPARTED. Per Ardany for Saigon, 1 European. Per Fuehnn, for Shanghai, 120 Chinese.

Per Nizam, for Singapore, 2 Europeans, Per Albany, for Saigon, 12 Chineso. Por Choufa, for Swatow, 20 Chinese, Per Abassinia, for Kobe, Mr and Mrs. Fliat and child, Mr and Mrs Morgan Wil. iams, Miss Hei bert, Mr Godfrey Williams, Mr E. S. Greaves, Mesers A. P. Blake, E. J. Humphrey and W. Leslie; for Yoko-hama, Mr and Mrs Mann, Miss J. Allen. Mr M. Finnagan, and Mr James Clarke; for L verpool, Mr and Mrs bill, and Capt. Watton; for Pacific Coast Points, 114 Chi

TO PEPART.

Per Ningpo, for Shanghai, 10 Chinose, Per Johann, for Holhow, 100 chinese, Per, Hailoung, for Swatow, 150 Chinese,

SHIPPING REPORTS The British steamer Glenfallock reports : Left London on March 8th, with moderate Westerly and North-Westerly winds till off Finisterro, where a fresh N.E. galo was encountered, lasting, however, but a few hours. Fine weather was then experienced, Capt. S. Asuron, will be hours. Fine weather was then experienced, and continued till Port Said was reached at Ports on TUESDAY, the 29th Instant, at 9 a.m., on March 22nd. On account of numerous stoppages and a ship being ashere, Suez was not reached till 1 p.m. of following day; the time spent in the Canal being 28 hours. The weather in the Gulf of Suez

and Red Sea was all that could be desired. 738 moderate S.E. and Easterly breezes, and comparatively cool, the highest hoon reading of the thermome er heing 84° in the shade. Perim was passed at 5 p.m., March 28th. The Maldive Islands at 8 a.m. of the 5th April, the weather still continuing fine, with light winds chiefly from the Eastward. Penang was reached at daybreak of April 12th; left at 9 p.m., the following day. Occasional showers were met with in the Straits of Malacca, but on the whole the weather was fine. Arrived in Singapore 5 p m., April loth. From Singapore to Hongkong, very fine weather was experienced, with moderate winds from the Southward and South-Fast. Hongkong was reached at 3.p.m., on Friday, April 25th, Passed a large Turkish man-of-war (the Ertugrout steering towards the Macelesfield Bank.

The British steamer Zafiro reports : Had light airs and calm, strong breeze and confused sea off China Coast. The Gorman steamer Tai Les reports Had fine weather, S.E. wind until the Ladrones : from there to port, strong N.E. wind, thick and rain.

The German steamer Daphae reports : Had strong monsoon, heavy sea, strong Southern current. The British steamer Arrateon Apear reports : Very fine weather throughout.

The Italian steamer Bormida reports : Splendid weather throughout. The British steamer Dorset reports : Had light to moderate Southerly winds, w th fine-weather until 2 a.m., this morning; when we met with strong E.N.E. wind and heavy sen, which broke aboard frequently. Saw Turkish man-of-war, outside amongst Islands.

· IMPORT CARGOES.

Per S. S. Arratom Ancar, sailed from Calcutta April 1cth :- For Hongkong, 650 chests Opium Patna, 500 chests Opium D. 780 Lala Catan, 1:150 bales Outton Yarn, 833 bales Gunnies, 3 179 bags Saltbetro 580 logs troken Rice, 306 cases Amon, German steamer, 815, Th. Leh- Oil and Giree, 326 bags S. fflower, 420 bags mann, Shanghai April 22, General. - Siens | Sago and Sago flour, 37 bags Pepper and Spices, 23 bags Jadestones valued \$5,000,

POST OFFICE NOTICES

MAILS will close:-For SAIGON .-Per Glenears, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the

27th mat. For SHANGHAL-Per Ningpo, at 9 c.m., on Sunday, the 27th inst., instead of as previously

Per Glenfalloch, at 11.30 a.m., on Monday, the 28 h inst. For SWATOW & SHANGHAL -Per Canton, at 3,30 p.m., on Monday,

the 28th inst.

FOR AMOY & MANILA .-Per Zaftro, at 3.30 p.m., on Monday, the 28th inst. For SINGAPORE. Per Dapline, at 0.30 a.m., on Tuesday - the 29th inst.

Per Tannadice, at 3.30 p.m., on Tuesday,

For SINGAPORE & BATAVIA-

the 29th inst.

For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA Per Ancona; at 5 p.m., on Wednesday, the 3.th inst. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET .-The United States Mail Packet Belgic wi be despatched on TUESDAY, the 29th Instant, with Mails for Japan, San-Francisco, the United States, Canada,

Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows :--0.15 P.M. Rogistry censes. 0.30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Correspoudence may be nosted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure.

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> WOTTON & DEAGON. Solicitors for the said A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED,

MEMUS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Shipping. Daslight .- Halloong leaves for S'tow, &c. Daylight. - Northern leaves for Japan.

9 a.m. - Algaia leaves for Japan. Miscellaneous. Goods per Chingero undelivered after this

date subject to rent. MEMOS. FOR MONDAY. Shipping.

Noon.-G'enfallock leaves for Shanghai. 4 p.m. - Zufiro leaves for Manila, &c. Giaucus leaves for Shanghai, &c. Meeting. 9 p.m. - Meeting of Perseverance Lodge.

General Memoranda. Tuesday, April 29 :-

Claims against the Northern must sent in to Messrs Russell & Co., on or before this date. Goods per Aglaia undelivered after this date subject to rent. WEDNESDAY, April 30:-

2.30 p.m. Auction of Household Furniture, at the Residence of Mr F. A. Morgan, No. 1. Albany. 4 p.m.-Meeting of Shareholders of The Songei Koyah Planting Company, Ltd.,

at the Company's Registered Office. THURSDAY, May 1 :-Goods per Steamer Saghalien unclaimed Yckosuka. after Noon subject to rent. Goods per Glenfalloch undelivered after this date subject to rent. 9 p.m. - Meeting of Zetland Lodge.

FRIDAY, May 2 !-Goods per Arratoon Apcar undelivered 25th institut 5 p.m. after this date subject to rent. WEDNESDAY, May 7:p.m. - Extra rdinary Meeting of The Darvel Bay Trading Co., Ltd., at 9,

Queen's Road Central. ATURDAY, May 31 :-Noon .- Meeting of Shareholders of The to arrive here on or about the 5th May. Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Cor-



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PARD, of Hong Kong, of a Daughter. 25 The publication of this caus commenced at 8.25 p.m.

The China Etkill. HONGKONG, SATURDAY, APRIL 26, 1890.

TELEGRAMS. (From Singapore papers.) MR. GOS HEN'S SURPLUS. London, A, ril 18. -The Budget surplus amounts to £3, 221,000, and Mr Goschen proposes to reduce the duty on tea two pence.

The duty on gold and silver plate to be

LOCAL AND GENERAL PASIER EVEZ CANAL. OUTWARD BOUND : - Glenoyle, Oceana.

Afghan, April 8; G'enlyon, Balcarres Brook, 11; Dencation, Iraquaddy, Pembro eshire, Nanchung, 15; Achilles, Kaisow, Highfield, 18. HOMEWARD BOUND :- Totan, March 25 Wismar, 28 : Ciomed. April 1 : Gleoeagles, 6: Cyclops K. iemhild, Smit, 11 Breconstare, Cambodia, Massilia, 15

with the AMERICAN MAIL of April 6, 24th April, at doylight, and may expected here on or about Wednesday, 30th April.

Lacries. Merionethshire, 182

Vancouver for Japan, &c., on the 11th

The O. S. S. Co.'s s. s. Glaucus, trom Liverpool, left Singapore on the 21st April, and may be expected here on or about the 27th April.

The Shire Line s. s. Monmouthshire, from London, &c., left Singapore on the 24th April, and may be expected here on or about the lat May. The C. N. Co.'s s. s. Yunnan, from Glas-

gow, left Singapore on April 25th, and may be expected here on or about the 1st May. The s. s. Wingsang, from Calcutta, left Sin-

gapore on the 25th April, and may be expected here on or about the 1st The E. & A. S.S. Co.'s s.s. Airlie left Port Darwin on the 26th April, and may be

BUER OF CHORAL SERVICE AT ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL - SE . SUNDAY AFT B EASTER. Matins :- Vonito, Hine : Psalms, Randal Turle & Beethoven ; To Doum, Goss in A; Jubilate, Biles; Anthem, Sweet is thy mercy (Burnby); Li-tany; Hymn 180; Offertory, 232.

expected here on or about the other

Dimittis, Felton; Hymns, 218, 291 & THE ship Glendon, which went ashore on the Japan coast, has been floated and towed to

vensong :- Psalms, Turle, Goss & Pur-

cell : Magnificat, Macfarren :- Nunc

MESSES Jardine, Matheson and Co. inform us that the s. s. Wingsang, from Calcutta for this port, left Singapore on Friday, the

Messas Russell and Co. inform us that the E. & A. Co. a s. s. Airlie left Port Darwin for this port to day, and may be expected

THE Robilla arrived about six o'clock this evening with the English mail of 28th March, the time in transit for the mail. being only 28 days 15 hours.

SHEIR Ranjah, an Indian constable who

has been ten years in the force, was brought before Mr Wodehouse to-day on remand, and committed for trial at the Criminal Sessions on a charge of receiving bribes. WE observe among the official notifications in the Home papers received by the last

mail, the following :- Capt. Arthur San-

key retires from the Service, with a gratu-

DIVING SERVICE FOR SEAMEN. -On Sunday morning, between 9 and 10.30 o'clock, the steam launch carrying the Bethel flag will call alongside any vessel hoisting code pennant U., to convoy men ashore to 11 a.m. service at St. Petar's Seamon's A COLLISION occurred between the Spanish steamers Romulus and Ordonez shortly after

leaving Mauila on the night of the 19th in-

stant, off the Corrigidor island. The latter

ressel was sunk almost immediately after

the socident, but fortunately all the lives.

were saved and transferred on board the Romulus and brought back to Manils. The Romulus was a ightly damaged. before Mr Wodeliouse in the Police Court to-day by a chair coolie for allowing a ferocious dog to be at large, unmuzzled. The complainant said that as he was passing Mr Scott's house in Seymour Terrace on the

out and bit him on the right arm. The casa was remanded. Mr. E. W. Maitland, hon. Treasurer of the Alice Memorial Hospital, bega to acknowledge the following subscriptions for the

30 from the European, Chinese and In-

dian Police of No. 7 Pulice Station.

funds of the Hospital

\$15 from H. Z. Just, Esq.

23rd, a dog belonging to Mr Scott rushed

5 from G. von Wille, Esq. 20 from Messra E. and S. Cexon. 10 from Gershom Stewart, Esq. .. THE Hougkong Choral Society gave a second performance of Gapl's cantata 'Ruth,' before a fairly large audience, in St. John's Cathedral yesterday evening. Mr. A. J. May conducted and Mr Sangater presided at the organ. The performance was a decided improvement on the first one both as regards solos and choruses. After the cantata, solos were given by Messra Maitland, Grace and Crow, and Mr Sangater played Lemmons Storm Fantasia Donations

WE hear from Amoy that the China Navi--gation Co.'s s. s. Newchwang, on a voyage from Newchwang to Amoy, laden with beancake, went ashore on Quemoi, or Dodd Islands, on Monday last. She was visited on the same afternoon by the Haitan, but apparently assistance was declined. The ateamer Hoikers, of the same line, is reported to have proceeded from Swatow to her assistance. The Neuchwang went ashore in a fog, and she is believed to be badly damaged. No further particulars have been

were collected in aid of the Diocesan Home

Building Fund.

THE police at Youmati are investigating a curious case. It seems that a ropemaker residing at Tai-Kok-tsui applied at Yaum iti police station the other day for an order to bury his wife who, he said, had died suddenly. On inquiry it was found that the funeral had already taken place, an Chinesoterritory, and this, coupled with the fact that a violent quarrel had taken place left Yokohama in Thursday, the between the husband and wife (the latter baving been charged with infidelity), at opce raised suspicion. The police endeavoured The Canadian Pacific s. s. Porthia left to find out where the body had been buried, but without succeen.

begun at 8 p.m.

THE Chine e squadron, composed of six vessels, arrived at Manila on the 2nd inst.

A CHINESE rout-collector was fined one cent to-day by Mr Robinson, in the Police Court, for being in possession of a small quantity of prepared opinm without a certificate from the Opium Farmer. Mr A. J. Leach, who appeared for the defence explained that the defendant was a son of one of the former Opium Farmers and could not account for the opium being in his possion. Mr Spooner, chief excise officer, said the Opium Farmer accepted the view that the opium was inadvertently put in defendant's presession, and merely asked for a nominal fine.

THE case of the two Chinese shopkeepers who were charged last week with the other goods which had just been returned to the owner, here from the Paris Exhibition, was again before Mr Wodehouse in the Police Court to-day. The first defendant did not appear, and Mr Wilkinson who represented him explained that he had gone to Canton to luck for some more of the missing property. His Worship, how. Lucknow: The influenza is furiously raging ever, declared the bail of \$1,000 estreated. After some further evidence the case was again remanded, the bail of the second defendant being increased to \$1,000.

THE Turkish corvette Ertugroul, with Viceafternoon on her way to Japan, and saluted the port. She is the bearer of the Turkish order of Intiaz,-a high decoration conferred by the Sultan on the Mikado. She made the voyage in very leisurely manner, having, been sevaral months in Singapore, waiting, we suppose, the change of the monsoon. The Estugroul was built at Constantinople about 24 years ago, but she has been over hauled several times and the engines are of English make. She is a wooden vessel of a somewhat autiquated style, of 1,800 tons. The crew numbers 590 mes, including 20 officers, 15 cadets, 60 firemen and 24 marines. There are 12 large guns on board-4 Armstrong 250 pounders, and 8 Krupp gues of 15 centimetres-and 2 Hotchkissguns, 5 Nordenfeldts and a number of smaller guns for sa'uting purposes.

THERE seems a great desire on the part of some of our Home contemporaries to find a suitable place for Sir Frederick Napier Broome, late Governor of Western Australia. The European Mail some time ago, having discovered that our Governor was sick, was to ship Sir Frederick to Hongkong; and now the Colonies and India will have it that he is going to Singapore; having discovered another sick Governor in the person of Sir C. C. Smith. The Singapore Free! Press, writing on the subject, says :- We can only say on the best authority that no rumour of anything of the sort, has been heard in Singapore. And Sir Cecil Smith was yet here at a date well after the paragraph was published, and we believe that H.F. the Governorhad never-even remotely express d any intention to he effect stated. We know that the Governor had at times been far from strong, and that the strain of responsibility consed by his having to undertake and carry through his Secret Societies policy into legislative effect was exceedingly heavy. But there arpeared to have been no harm done which rest and medical advice could not undo and until the Governor left Singapore he had not, as far as we can learn, given anyone the idea that there was a possibility of his not returning. Much of course depends upon His Excellency's health and the nature of the laryngeal affection which occasionally troubled him, but there is no reason why care and rest during his holiday in England

> Tas influenza in epidemic form still prevails in Calcutta. Out of 2500 native police 250 are invalided, sixty out of a hundred clerks in the Central Post Office are laid up and 226 postmen are numbered among the victims.

should not have the good effect anticipated.

THE Editor of the Sarawak Gazette is spiling for a fight." He invites discussion of his views on the Limbang businesswhich of course are a reflection of those of Rajah Brooke, the Gazette being subsidised by the Sarawak Government-with any dissentient in a friendly or other manner!

THE Police of Singaporo received informa tion that two privates of the A. & S. Highlanders, stationed at Houghong, descried and went down to Singapore by the s.s. Preussen, which arrived there on the 17th inst. The men, whose names are Farrell and Christie, stowed away and had to work for their passage in the stoke hole. They, however, managed to clear out as soon as the vessel arrived.

THE Japan Gazetie says that the O. & O. steamer Guelic carried to San Francisco the first lot of new season ton. All the stock (new season) in the hands of native dealers has been bought up. For Suruga brand about \$15 was given. Last year's first shipment was on April 24th and the price given \$45. There is, therefore, scarcely any difference in price. This year's crop, however, is said to be inferior to last year's owing to unfavourable weather.

A scene of such confusion as to amount almost to disorder occurred the other day whom the liberty-shore men from the Amiral Nakhimoff were being embarked on board the picket-boats at Kobe. Some half-dozen were late and got left behind, nor would any sampan take them off, the men being so drunk as to render such a proceeding hazardous. They were, therefore, left to roll about the hatoba, where they created considerable disorder. One man fell in from the end and had to be fished out, another lay and wallowed in the soons of the Paper Mill drain, where lay the asle and wheels of a kuruma upon which he tried to sit, and failing that, sat in the water and turned the wheels round tr. A friend as drunk as himself attemt - 5 pull him out, when they both got so nope -- ly entangled that they had to be hauled ashere by a couple of foreigners.

so we are told by the Hochi Shimbun. According to our informant, contestants will be invited from Tokyo, Kanagawa-ken, Chiba ken, Ibaragi-ken, Gumma-ken, Saitama-ken. Tochigi-ken, Shidauoka-ken, and Yumanashi-ken. The fair ones, it is stated, are to send their photos, and addresses to No. 21. Kinsukecho, Hongo, Tokyo, and from the photos, thus received 20 will be selected and the originals invited to attend at the Capital before May 9th. A two days' charity bezaut will then be held, on the 10th and 11th, the candidated waiting on who are to be the judges.

THE Siamese yacht Narubin, Commander Grandison, arrived in Singapore on the 17th ibst. from Bangkok. On the way down she stopped at Renong and landed there H. H. Prince Damrong and suite. We hear that H. M. the King of Siam left Bangkok on the 16th inst. and was expected to arrive at Chompon (by overland route) next day. The King was to stay two ays in Chompon after which he was to go on to Renous, Kopah and Tongkah. After visiting these places he will go to largeny of about \$600 worth of ivory and Penang where a fleet of thirteen gunboats and yachts will meet him to escort him to Singapore. A stay of six-or seven days is to be made both at Penang and Singapore. His Majesty will visit Johore, Tringanu and other places on the coast and return to

count of the havor influenza is playing at in the city. The cries of Walaitz bokhar are beard all round. The young, the old, the strong and the weak are all its victims. There is not a single family in the city which is free from this epidemic. In offices pale-ficed clerks wrapped in children are seen daily, sun: into the chairs unable to work. In many offices the absentees are 60. Admiral Osma Pasha on-board, arrived this or 70 per cent. If you go to the Bulrampore Hospital the doctor replies Boba, him kia kare, sub log is men grifter hain.' (What can I do, Sir. svery one is suffering from it.) Hastily and kindly he enters your name in the putients' register and gives some medicine. The other day, Mr. White, principal, Cauning College, while teaching his class. found to his apparent bewilderment one of the students, a promising young lad, suddenly seized by this demon. The boy fell on the floor. The principal left the room and dismissed the class."

> 'FRAGRANT WATERS' MURMUR That whisperings or echoes of the Royal visit are still lingering around the Colony, and some queer yarns are in circulation touching the keen competition for the honours of Royal recognition.

That now the Abyssinia has left us, this kind of badinage will probably disappear. That, of course, the Connaught Road and the Connaught Statue will remain:

That from all accounts we seem to be or the verge of a partial water famine, in spite of the Taitam works, and the largebore pipes that have arrived.

That Mr Chadwick gives plenty of good advice, but very little of it appears to be

That I hear Captain McCallum, of the H.K.V.A., rather astonished some of the residents last week by the excellent display of big-gun practice from Stone-cutter's Island, and by the quiet efficiency of

That seven out of ten shots, delivered from a distance of a mile and a half, should have told within a square of any 25 feet, is most creditable work for amateur soldiers. hat I would much rather have been in the Battery than in the imaginary ship of refreshment (as well as the target) was

Chat the Admiral did well to leave the Severn Wheeley (secretary.) tomount guard in Hongkong Harbour, and the Admiralty authorities at Home should

vessel to the China Station. fire her guns and go full speed.

attention of all right-minded mon.

ner of doubt.

an open question. Kowloon city.

ese authorities, some good might accrue. | to put.

looked for in Hongkong. That it is a curious circumstance that this first year's working of this company, and road to ruin for so many residents has the meagreness of the report does not tend been made more easy by the increased to diminish that feeling. Our disoppoint-That the dumping of rubi ish and ballast the fact that the receipts of the company into the Harbour has again revived in were good, our takings being nearly \$30,000,

these days of general der ression. That the Water Police are said to receive during the season. This proves that our

Praya Reclamation, some good might postages, coolie-bire &c., and it would have poser and seconder and Mr Parlane voting be done-that is, of course, after the been better had the rent of Craigieburn for it. rubble foundations are down. That I hear nearly two score men are rental is partainly so beintly large to merit | inn the Burd. sugaged on the Gap Rock site, but that a prominent place in this report. With Mr Young-I should prefer to have a progress is necessarily alone

THE delivery of the English mail was JAPAN is to have its beauty show-at least That the growle among the shipping com- for wages and salaries, it appears to me as

That times without number I have been reference to the report I find that the exbe given.

at the stalls. The Hochi does not tell us That the extension of the roads on Kow- I believe that even had this accident not mains unanswered.

many days of precious time.

in the Colony.

What is to be done next

will doubtless furnish this safeguard without delay.

Highlanders in giving their promised en- company. It is over ten per cent on the tertainments in the City Hall. That I can scarcely conceive of a more sen- | tant.

aibly charitable object than that of pro-That the Report of the Mansion House tors and auditors. I am not aware whether water supply &c., and then sell in small an important historical document. .

the causes and extent of the famine and such a lot of things. the distribution of relief is interesting. and it is to be boped the lessons taught by these facts, how to prevent similar calamities in the future by means of better communications throughout the Empire, will have the fullest effect.

That the missionaries, of all creeds and denominations, resped the reward which honest and disinterested labour ever does, viz., the admiration of all rightthinking men

BROWNIE.

THE REAK HOTEL AND TRADING CO. LIMITED.

The first ordinary yearly meeting of the shareholders of this Company was held in the City Hall to-day. There were present Hon. P. Ryrie (chairman), Messrs J. B. which the target was supposed to be the Coughtrie, N. J. Ede (directors), W. H. midship section, spite of the fact that the Young, W. Gaskell, W. Parlane, A. E. found missing when the Voluntoers ceased Skeels, J. S. Porry, A. McInt re, J. F. O. da Roza, W. Thomas (manager) and J.

The Chairman said-Gentlemen, there is be taken to task for sanctioning the very little to be said about the report design for this ship, and for sending the which has been in your hands for several days, because the hotel, especially since the Phat it is asserted by those who ought to winter season began, could hardly be said know that it is much safer, for those on to be in regular working order. During board to stop firing and go slow, than to the summer of course Craigieburn did fairly well, but in this weather the number of that the gambling dens at Kowloon are guests who visit the Peak is usually very said to be forcing themselves upon the small. You will see that we shall have a portion of the new hotel ready to receive that they have unfortunitely attracted the and entertain guests in June, and (think attention of others I have already stated when we fairly get started our prospects more than once, and that the havee going | will greatly improve. The fact that we will on must make itself felt most unpleasant. then be near the terminus of the trainway ly sooner or later, there can be no man- will of course attract a number of casual visitors, a class of visitors we have been That whether or not the marked unreliable feeling the want of since the small bungality of shroffs and bill-collectors recently low which we occupied previously as a observed has as much to do with Kowloon | hotel had to be taken down. The Peak, I as with local gambling clubs, is perhaps | have no doubt, will in the coming summer, with anything like fair weather, continue Plat, on the principle that a man who to attract visitors as it has done before, and cannot got out of the mud generally goes I think there is no reason to expect that in desper many residents are steadily there will be any falling off. The services of sinking into a very deep mud-hole in our friend Mr Thomas we all appreciate. and I have ne-doubt that when he gets into That, as has been formerly observed, it is the new premises he will make the place at not an easy matter to keep people from attractive as it is possible for anyone to do committing financial or moral suicide. Although we have not which to show-in the more especially if they choose to do fact what we have to show is a small deficit -I look forward, and so do the other di-That at the same time if the antecedents of rectors, to a very much improved state of the harpies who run those four gambling things. I don't think I have anything else dens in Kowloon City were looked into, to say, but I shall be happy to answer any and their doings represented to the Chin- questions any of the shareholders may wish

That the principle of the British public is Mr W. H. Young Mr Chairman, I am so strongly against deriving a revenue sure you and the other directors will from vice, that no opposition to this hear with regret that a general feeling of parasitic growth of Kowloon City can be dissatisfaction exists amongst the shareholders with regard to the result of the facility of steam launofi communication, ment is rather aggravated than lessened by or, say, an average of \$5,000 per month neither thanks nor encouragement for business was an active one, if not a profitbringing such cases into Court, and that able one, and it also is a clear indication of as a consequence the harbour-filling goes the popularity of the Peak Hotel. I think, Mr Chairman, that you, as a man of long That this is a subject quite serious enough experience in business, will agree with the low the intervention of the unofficial shareholders in thinking that a small commembers of Council, as vessels have pany such as this with a turnover of \$5,000 begun to touch ground again-in-the a month ought, unless there is something North-westerly reaches of the Harbour. radically wrong, to be able to pay a divi-That nothing short of the confiscation of dend. The resson why a dividend has not all boats found depositing rubbish or been sarned in however, very apparent lease. ballast in the Harbour will most the when we turn to the Working Account. Here we find to its debit two items for that condition That so long as Chinese boatmen on get large amounts—one for 88,244.19, for from thirty to fifty cents per ton for Charges, and the other for \$6,773, for to work with him on the board. removing ballast from vestels, they will Salaries and Wages. With regard to the continue to dump it into our magnificent, first item, I do not consider that the be paying \$6, 00 just the same. Harbour and pay all the \$5 fines inflict. term 'charges' is the proper commercial expression to use for rent, 'Charges' That if there same boatmen were told they generally understood commercially to mean | Thomas, that Mr Anderson be elected a di could tumble ballist over the site of the small items of expenditure such as petties, been stated separately. The amount of the

munity are loud and deep over the grim ; well as to other shareholders that this is an impeting. immobility of the celebrated or noturious extremely heavy charge, and one which ought to be reduced. Well, gentlemen. vatory and all the apparatus in position, up \$17,000 of our gross earnings, and the should be suffering so long from the lack cost of provisions &c. amounts to \$18,000, of such a m-reantile necessity, is a scandal so that the sum we have lost is about. which urgently calls for an explanation, twenty per cent on our gross receipts. On asked why the new wharf at Taim-ten-teni planation given us of this loss is that owing Point has not been opened to public to the stoppage of the trainway for

traffic, but no satisfactory answer could two months the receipts of the company suffered. This no doubt was the case, but loon Point is another question that re- happened the working account would still have shown a loss, because at its present done in many other companies in the Colo-That residents who purpose visiting Japan rate of expenditure it has to make a nett ny. I may mention that Mr A. P. Stokes during this summer season ought to take profit of \$2 500 per month during the is at home just now, and Mr Layton has the precaution of writing, before their de- season to enable it to pay current expenses. sont in his resignation, which he was naked parture honce, for the pusports necessary | Now, it mems to me that the real sums of | to reconsider, but there has been no reply this loss is the heavy reutal paid for Orai- from him as yet. Mr Coughtrie and I re-That by adopting this course they may save gieburn; \$500 per month will the year tire, but offer ourselves for re-election. round, summer and winter really is the That it would be useless to ignore the fact same thing as paying \$6,000 torsix months, by Mr. Gaskell, the Chairman and Mr runs :that the future action of the directors of because the place is practically useless to Coughtrie were re-elected directors. the Bongkong Land Investment Com- us during the winter months. I fear, gena pany is the leading topic of conversation | tlemen, that a mistake has been made in | ed by Mr Perry, Mr Fallarton Henderson saddling this company for three years with was re-elected auditor. That your moderately-worded sketch of the this heavy item. In connection with this The Chairman said that was all the busi- ducted by Her Majesty's Government, and rise and progresse of the Company need matter the report states that Oraigieburn ness, and thanked the shareholders for atnot change in the least the opinion of in- was taken over to provide temporary tending. vestors as to the soundness of the concern. premises suitable for visitors. Now, gentle-That one thing you did not remark upon | men. I think that a lease of aix mouths. was the fact that what of the directors' for the summer season would have amply meeting. action might be objected to took place served this purpose, and then had timely previous to the arrival of the present arrangements been made to have the bar and restaurant of the new Peak Hotel correspondent gives the following ac- That as the Ordinance is not likely to be ready by the end of this month we would taken further before it receives the ap- have been in a position to take advantage proval of the shareholders in meeting of the season just commenting. But as assembled, the question now arises, matters stand now I very much fear that neither this nor any other portion of the That many chareholders hope for great Hotel will be ready until the season is over. things from the arrival of the Chief and I am very certain that people will not Manager of the Hongkong Bank; expect- go so far as Craigicburn to take tiffin. &c. ed in a fortnight, and there can be no so that practically this season will be lost pital of the Il ngkong Land Investment doubt his tact and ability, his clear- to us, Now, Mr Chairman, can we not get Company instead of seeking for powers to headedness and right-mindedness, will this lease of Craigieburn concelled, or invest it out of the o long. Every large State, or the a bjects or citizens thereof, be of great service at the present crisis, modified ! I understand that Mr James city in the world has suburba and off shoots. That the recent trial for largeny by a Bank | Anderson is owner of Craigieburn and also | Take for instance Melbourne to which there clerk may not be altogether an unmixed a director of this Company, and I therefore are such subarbs as Brighton, Emerald evil if it stirs up the Attorney General suggest that he be asked to help us out of Hill, Sandridge and others which to supplement our local law regarding the difficulty. He, I am sure, has the yielding to the original purchasers immense interests of the company at heart and will fortunes. To Hongkong there are two. That the banking interests in this Colony see that it is in its interests that the terms viz., the Peak and Kowleon, both of ought to have been considered in this of the lease should be very considerably which are further examples and positive matter in the past, and Mr Goodman modified, if the lease itself is not cancelled. Mr W. H. Gaskell -I should like to say directors of the Hongkong Land. Investthat I quite agree with what Mr Young has ment Co. were to negociate with the That everyone who knows the facts of the just said in regard to charges and salaries.

> viding a fresh cool breeze at the Peak for senting a statement of accounts to have in good carriago road; thoroughly laying the women and children of the Garrison. the working account what is paid to direct out the locality in reads, drainage, Committee of the China Famine Relief the directors' fees are included in these rural building lots of, say half an acre to fund, compiled by a gentleman who charges, but if so the specific amount an acre, advancing the money for building knows China and its people, is in a sense | should be stated. We have a very large | where required—as is done by hundreds number of directors, and I think it is usual of other companies such as Building So-That the information it contains regarding to specify this item. These charges cover totales and Land Investment Companies

> > The Chairman-With reference to th remarks of Mr Young, which I must say were very fairly put. I have only to say that I think he must make some allowance for the fact of this being new concern and that we live had to feel our way as to the best method of managing it. It would have been impolitie I think to have made any great reduction of the ataff until we saw how we got on. Uraigieburn did very well in the summer months. as Mr Young said-

Mr Young-I did not say Craigieburn,

Mr Chairman : I said the old Peak Hotel. very well in the summer months, and your | whole Malay Poninsula, and even now the directors, unless they lot the business lie fame of our beautiful winter is attractingdormant and thus prevent people from great attention in India and other counafterwards patronising the hotel, were tries. -Yours, &c. obliged to have some place to receive guests. At the time the lease was made Mr Anderson, I fancy, thought the place was fairly be induced to take up a mre such scheme as of the people at Limbang and by encouragerented, but events have proved this not to that suggested by 'Observer,' it might do ment made them wicked. It surprises as have been quite as we expected. With a rast amount of good in the Colony, but more to think that he, being a subject of for having detained certain Russians who regard to the calaries of the manager and we are afraid the shareholders would the Queen, should so unlawfully and so assistants and Chinese servants, they have have to moderate their expectations as to forcibly take our country from us and from been receiving the attention of your direct dividends. We have no doubt in course our people without any cause. I e hauled tors, with a view at any rate to lesson the of time 10 or even 12 per cent dividends down our flig and libisted that of Sarawak. Chinese staff, which was necessarily large might be realised out of such an undertak. His people ordered the people of Limbang at the outset. As regards the question mg, but such returns would scarcely meet to go on board his ships and pay their reasked by Mr Parlane. It may say there the requirements of a company which specis to him, and he warned those who are no directors' fees in the accounts started its career by issuing new shares at a rofuse to do so to fortify their places as he at all, as they thought it would be premium that was nominally given as to probably as well to wait for a little. I per cent, but was, or has proved to be, can quite understand your disappoint- actually 100 per cent-a company whose ment in regard to Craigieburn, but the chares were selling at 200 per cent prefact is I don't think there was anything else minm. The evident intention of the proto be done. There was no other building moters and investors was to make big except Craigieburn that could be utilised in profits repidly. There is no chance the way the directors wished—to accommo- doing this, we are persuaded—and the date a number of visitors with board and directors seem to be of the same opinionlodging. The directors I am sure will de- if the sphere of the Company is confined to It is mentioned in the treaty that vote themselves in the coming time to try Hongkong. As to the hill district, we are to reduce expenses. They have got an ex- som what afraid that extension has already collect arrangement with Mr Thomas with gone far enough, at any rate until the piece of land is to be leased out to any regard to the food supply for the hotel, and moans of communication is increased.

enforce payment of 12% interest by those lides of opening up the island by means of call were unpaid.

The Chairman said that was the inten- feasible, but the Company or individual tion. It would be noticed that this Com. | that undertakes such a work will have to pany was not singular in respect of having be content with modest returns for its calls somewhat behind hand. The ad- the first few years. As our largest capicondition, a fact which was due to the bad | town, they are not likely to catch on times, which they all deplored.

you, Mr Chairman, for your remarks, and | quarter with Chin se houses. - ED. C. M.] as a shareholder only hope that your expectations will be realised; but it appears to me that the whole crux of the question is in this lease having been entered into. Cannot the directors induce Mr Anderson to modify this lease? Surely he must have the interests of the company at heart-will he not make same reduction? If he will not cancel, will he not give us better terms for six months of the year? Craigieburn is to us a white elephant: unless we get rid of it we shall not see a dividend.

The Chairman-Your directors will do all in the r power to get him to modify it, circumstances straightened is to make them HOW THANKFUL WE SHOULD BE but he may not be very compliant. There being no further remarks,

The Chairman proposed the adoption of

the report and accounts. Mr J. F. C. da Roza seconded and the motion was carried unanimously. The Chairman said Mr Anderson was invited to take the place Mr Findlay Smith on the Board of direc ors. Mr Young -I shall have much pleasure pays to go slow, after all .- Yunkers Statesin proposing him if he will modify that man.

The Chairman-I think it will be easier Mr Young I don't think so, if we shall It was then put to the meeting on the mis- Bag. tion of the Chairman, accorded by Mr.

Mr Coughtrie -I propose that Mr Young reference to the other item of nearly \$7,000 little time for consideration.

rector. The motion was lost, only the pro-

Mr. Coughtrie-It must be done at this Mr Young-I am much obliged for the compliment, but I decline to act. I beg That Hongkong, with an expensive Obser. charges, wages and preliminaries have caten to propose that Mr E. A. Skeels be appointed a director of the company. Mr Skeels-I am just thinking of going

home, and I must therefore decline,

Mr Gaskell-I beg to propose that Mr Parlane become a member of the Board. Mr Young-I beg to second that. Mr. Parlane-I am sorry to say I must responsibility of the British Government for decline. Is it necessary, Mr Chairman, to

make the appointment? The Chairman-No, there can be a smaller number. The same thing has been On the motion of Mr Young, seconded

On the motion of the Chairman, second-

A vote of thanks to the Chairman, on

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT CO. LID. To the Editor of the CHINA MAIL.

Hongkong, 25th April. Sta, -It appreces to matters there is ample scope in this colony for the surplus catestimouies of what can be done. If the Government for the purchase of a whole case will have a warm corner in his heart | in all amounting to \$15.0 10, being a very | hill, east or west of the present Peak profor the object aimed at by the A, and S. heavy item on the paid-up capital of the perties, and make it easy of access by a cheap tramway; or if they were to buy a first your's working, and it is quite exorbi- large tract of land on the Southern shore, open up a Hongkong Brighton and make Mr Parlane-I think it is usual in pro- it accessible by a cheap railway or a olsowhere—there appears to me to be yet realizable the dreams of the early promoters, while at the same time an immense

> The Company's operations so far have been confined to the general scramble within the city of Victoria, whereas I think they should have been the pioneers in opening up other townships on the island. Many puople new vivit Hongkong in the winter months for the benefit of health, and if further facilities and greater attractions were offered on the island. there is every probability that in another ten or twenty years' time Hongkong would The Chairman-Well, Craigieburn did become the great 'sanitarium' for the

boon w uld be conferred on the new heavily-

OBSERVER. I have no doubt they will be able to sub- During the winter a large number of new mit a much more satisfactory report next houses have been 'going up,' and it is not improbable that some difficulty will be ex-Mr Parlane asked if it was intended to perienced in finding tenants for them. The often been mouted, and is, we believe. to the idea—not at any rate until they have Mr Young - I am very much obliged to covered the existing European business

> THE dance of death-turning up the THE wise man's senso-reticence. - Phila

Love is blind-that is until after mar riage. - Philadelphia Inquirer. A BALTIMURE policeman has for a recom mendation that he walks in his sleep. - Ex. It is the lie abilities, asset were, that make the successful assignor. - Albany Ex-

THE quickest way for a man to get his

crooked first .- Billimore American. A Popular man is usually what he is called, but a popular subscription is usually very unpopular. -St Louis Republic. A Long Felt Want-What this country really needs is fireproof buildings which are proof against fire. - Indianapoles Sentired. Two of the wealthiest men in the West

Mixen Metaphor- Gentlemen of the Mr Coughtrie-I am afraid we can't make jury, said an Irish barrister, it will be for you to say whether this defendant shall be allowed to come into court with unblushing footsteps, with the clock of hypocrisy in his mouth and draw three bullocks out of my client's pocket with impunity, -The Green

are said to have been messenger boys. It

Tell us not in spoony verses. Married life is all a dream; He who of this juy rehearses Ain't so glad as he may reem. Heads of all bald men remind us We should choose our wives with care Or departing leave behind us Half our natural grop of hair.

THE LIMBANG ANNEXATION. PROTEST BY THE BULTAN'

The following is a translation of a Mala document sent by the Sultan of Bruvei Singupore in order to obtain a proper re presentati n of his grievances regarding the alienation of his territory by the Rajah of Sarawak. The Sultan relies entirely on the trenty obligations entered into, and the the manufement of the fereign relations and for the integrity of his dominions. He has decided not to endanger his case by recourse to wat like action and reposes his case on the good faith, of the British Gover: ment. The Treaty provisions ontered into on the 17th Sept. 1888 between Sir Hugh Low for England and the Sultan of Brunei for himself and hoirs are certainly very definite, and the annexation of the Limbang is a direct, violation of the treaty conditions. Witness Article III. which

Relations with Fo eign States. The relations between the States of Bruneiandall Foreign States including the States of Sarawak and North Borneo, shall be conall communications shall be carried on exclusively through Her Majesty's Government, or in accordance with its directions the motion of Mr Young, terminated the and if any difference should arise between the Sultan of Brund and the Government of any other State, the Sultan of Brunes agrees to abide by the decision of fler Majesty's Government, and to take all necessary measures to give effect thereto. And again Art. VI shows how impossible it would be for the Sultan, even if willing, to consent to any aliention of territory without prior reference to H. M.'s Govern-

Alienation of Torritory. No ce sion or other alienation of any part of the Territory of the State of Brunel shall be made by the Sultan to any Fureign without the consent of Her Majesty's Government; but this restriction shall not apply to ordinary grants or leases of lands or houses to private individuals for purposes of residence, agriculture, commerce, or other business.

As the whole case stands, there has been a distinct breach of the treaty, and even the unanimous desire of the papels of the Limbang district to come under Barawak would not justify such a wholesale breach, influence in recognised spheres. It is re-

of the treaty as has manifestly occurred. By the treaty, representations for the transfer and against it should have been ment with Germany." formally submitted to the Home Government, the case fully heard, and an authoritative decision come to. But the very existence of the treaty implies that the status qua is the desirable condition of things to be maintained, unless good reason be shown to the contrary. Even were good cause to be shown, and it is quite of en to discussion whether Sarawak has shown anything pretending to that, nothing should have been done on ex parte evidence and predunably interested motives. The letter runs as follows :-

(fter Compliments.) 'I have to inform my friend of my troubles arising through Rajah Bro ke of Sarawak having come to our country and forcibly taken possession of the River

. He arrived hore on the 26 Rejab (17th

March, 890) with five of his vessels and

entered the river without first warning us He sent letters to the Pungerans and one letter to us, which we now send to our friend for his perusal. We are greatly surprised at the conduct of Rajah Brooke by his breaking the treaty under between himself and the Brunei Government and by refusing us the use of bur seal. We think by the way he acted in entering our river and the bad treatment shown to us and our subjects | Kavirondo, living on the proceeds of At Limbang, he has assumed more power plunder. Dr Tiedemann is said to be over us than H. M. the Queen has. He wounded. [If the Land Investment Company could listens with an open car to the bad reports THE RUSSIAN PRESS ON THE BOMBAY POLICE. think that it is the Raj his business to prevent other nations should they come to take our country, but instead of this. he comes here himself and forcibly takes putsession of the place, and he being an f Englishman, ought to know the laws better. He further is acquainted our country is in treaty with England; our Government is under the protection of the Queen and that not a other Government. The River Limbing is Brunei and Brunei is the River Limbang: it is the place where our people reside and work for their livelihood. It has been so for a long time and neither our Government nor our subjects will ever give or shareholders whose instalments of the first a milway and of developing Kowloon has lease Sunghie Limbang or any other river to Rajah Brooke. On account of Rajah Brooke's doings we are in great trouble. and we hope our friend will assist us by informing the Singapore Government of the deings of Rajah Brooke and as Brunci vertisements in the papers showed that talists can obtain better results by building is now under the protection of the Queen various other companies were in the same | Chinese houses near the centre of the | we further hope the Singapore Government will assist us in our troubles. We sent two of our principal ministers, Orang kay i di. Gadong and Soodana Ini-

drah, to visit the Rajah on board and present him our compliments, and to enquire of him his business at the anchorage of Tarap. After returning our compliments and instead of replying to our enquiries, he poi ted out to our ministers a lot of kayu Blian (wood used for stockades) and ammunition on board his ships and said to them These are my authority here at the anchorage of Tarap. As we hold a treaty with the Queen it is not our intention to make war or make any disturbance wi hahe Rajah of Sarawak or his people. (Compliments, &c.)

If furnace fires would not go out, How thankful we should be. If living high would not give gout, How thankful we should be. If messenger boys were only quick; If all our kids were never sick,

If tax s were not quite so sleep, How thankful we should be. If une sould so to bed and aleep, How thankful we should be. If monthly bills would not fall due, If friends would stick as well as glue, If half our plans we could get through, How thankful we should be, Market Market Mr. See E.

If postage stamps we need not lick,

How thankful we should be.

If briolsy from chimneys never fell, How thankful we should be, If we were aure there was no h-1. How thankful we should be. If inketande did not get upaet, If money was not hard to get. If we could sometimes win a bet, How thankful we should be. -New York Tribune. LATE TELEGRAMS.

EMIN PASHA-HIS INGRATITUDE London, April 3. - Sir Francis de Winten. Colonial Secretary to the Royal Geographical Society, has expressed himself in indignant terms concerning the conduct of Emin Pasha, whom he declares to be absolutely devoid of gratitude and generosity. and his procedure will lower him in the world's estimation.

A DIPLOMATIC RUPTURE. A diplomatic rupture between Servia and Bulgaria is: imminent. The discord has

been fomented by Russia, THE PERMENT IN RUSSIA AND FINLAND. The Duily Telegraph's correspondent wires that the peasants are rising in Riezan. Much blood has been already shed. The agitation is spreading to Poland and Finland: the proclamation calling on the peasantry to arms having been distributed .-Berlin, April 3.—Papers hero confirm the reported attempt on the life of the Czar as the cause of is illness.

St. Petersburg, April 4 .- The Czar continues to suffer from nervousness and

The agitation in Finland is fucreasing. All universities are closed. The students here mobbed and throw to the ground the Prefect of Polico. St. Petersburg, April 5. - The peasants at

Ringan have Hogged the District Chief Mordinoff and stoned the police. Explosives were found yesterday in the vicinity of the pulace of Gatchina The Czar has cancelled the arrangements for his contemplated visit to London.

STANLEY ON EMIN'S EXPEDITION. Lordon, April 4. Stanley, interviewed by the Times Cairo correspondent, says that Emin's expedition connet mjure British intorests, but at the same time he advises the Germans to exercise cantion in pursuit of their policy.

THE CREWE PARRICIDS. The younger prisoner charged with the murder of his father at Crewe has been

THE ANGLO-BUSSIAN TOBACCO MONOP LY. Loudon, April 5. - The Shan has conceded the tobacco menopoly of Persia to English. capitalists.

EMIN CHANGES HIS MIND. London, April 7. - The Times publishes a telegram from Berlin stating that Germany has no intention of extending her derritory in Africa, and that the projected expedition under Emin Pasha is merely to extend her ported that Emin Pashe is now anxious to return to Europe and to cancel his engage-

THE QUEEN'S JOURNEY. . Tho meeting of the Queen and the Emperor of Germany takes place at Darmstadt on the 20th instant.

A MEMORIAL STATUR. Cannes, April 0. - the Princo of Wales unveiled the statue of the late. Dake of Albany in the memorial Chapel here. ARMY R. FORKS IN GERMANY.

Berlin, April 6 .- The Emperor, in the decree promulgated last night, allows sons of middle class families to attain to officers' ranks, and increases the pay of the Army officers. The Emperor further declares that he will sturnly discountenance the growing luxury and extravagance of officers. The announcement has created a great sensation in military circles.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE DY A MILLIONAIRE. London, April 7. - Mr Harrison, the millionaire, formerly Mayor of Chicago, attempted suicide by a revolver yesterday. He is now lying in a critical condition RESIGNATION OF THE RUSSIAN MINISTER

FOR EDUCATION. London, April 7. The Russian Minister or Education has resigned.

DR PETERS Zancibar, April 7.—Drs Peters and Tiedemann are reported to be near

Moscow, April 6. - The Novoe Vremen in an editorial condemns the Bombay Police! were recently in Bombay prior to starting on an expedition to Abyssinia.

Intropid Stapley ! Cease to roam And bring your grey hairs safe y home. We're very much obliged to you For proving the Cheegheelahyau Flows through the Oolahkoolah land Of Warasura's bloody band And that the roaring Ahlkazine Flows clear across and half way back. We thought Lake Ulahkahzonzelzee Was larger than it seemed to be, But you have made these things as clear As though we had them all right here : So there just let the matter stand; And cease to live on hope and sand. You've done real well for a beginner. Como home and est a Christmas dinner.

- Chicago Hera d.

Quotations Homokona, April 28. PIUM-New Patna, cash., 490 New Benares, carb. 485 Now Mulwa, cash ... 520/530 Allowance, Taele ... 16/24 Old Malwa, cush ... 540/650 Allowance, Taels ... 16/32 Persian, Oily cash 520/531 Allowance Tack 16/48 Persian, Paper tied 530/540 Allowance, Taels ... 16/48

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WHAT IS GOOD. . What is the real good? I asked in musing mood :

Order, said the law court; Knowledge, said the school; Truth, said the wise man : Picasure, said the fool; Love, said the maiden; Beauty, said the page;
Freedom, said the dreamer;
Fame, said the soldier; Equity, the seer ;-

Spake my heart full sadly 'The answer is not here.'

Then within my besom Softly this I heard : 'Each heart the secret : Kindness is the word.' -John Boyle O'Reilly, in Georgetown College

THE DUNEDIN EXHIBITION. A former resident of Hongkong sends us the following sketch :-

last to be lifting her head and looking for experience rather a 'creepy' feeling when are answered with a look of stony centempt, emerge on the gardens, beyond, but their the 'better times' that are always so long the thin pale hand seizes it and returns it and careful of the welfare as well as the very artificiality seems to make them pos-

STOCKS.

Banks.

Marine Insurances.

ing Corporation

Canton, Limited

Yangteze Insur. Association, Ld. 1882 £

Chinese Insurance Co., Ld.,] 18718

(in liquidation)

Fire Insurances.

Fire and Marine Insurances.

Docks and Wharves.

Hongkong, Canton & Macao

Indo-China Steam Navigation)

Douglas Steamship Co., Lil."

China & Mapila S. S. Co., Ld.

Steam Launch Company, Ld.

Refineries.

Luzon Sugar Refining Co., Ld. 1882 S

China Sugar Refining Co., Ld.

Lands and Trusts.

Hongkong Land Investment &).

Agency Company, Ld. ..

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(d) Selama Tin Mining Com-

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Planting, &c.

East Borneo Flanting Co., Ld. 18688

(a) Songei Koyah Planting Co., Ld. 1888 &

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(a) Labuk Planting Co., Limited 18898

(a) Darvel Bay Trading Co., Ld. 1889 S

(b) H. G. Brown & Co., Limited 1889 8

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Austin Arms Hotel & Building] 1888 8

Peak Hotel & Trading Co., Ld. 1889 8

West Point Bailding Co., Ld. .. 18898

Shameon Hotel & Land Co., Ld. 1889

Company, Limited

Richmond Terrace, Estate and

Dispensaries.

Craickshank & Co., Limited ...

Lighting.

Gas Co., Limited | new ...

Iron Foundries.

Brick and Cement.

Company, Limited

Limited,

Hongkong Brick and Cement

Green Island Cement Company

Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited .

A. G. Gordon & Co., Limited,

Hongkong & Chius | old issue 1864 £

Hongkong Electric Co., Limited 1889 \$

. S. Watson & Co., Limited

Building Company, Ld.

Hotels, Building, &c.

Hongkong Hotel Co., Limited ..

Company, Ld.

Hongkong High-Level Tram-

Mining. (c) The Balmoral Gold M'ing Co., Ld. 1889 S

(d) Jelebu Mining & Trad. Co., Ld. 1889 8

Co., Limited

Steam-boat Co., Limited

Hongkong & Shanghai Bank- 1 1865 \$ 7,500,000 60,000 \$

Union Insurance Society of] 18678 2,500,000 10,000 \$

China Traders Insurance Co., Ld 18658 2,000,000 24,000 \$

North China Insurance Co., Ld. 1863 £ 1,000,000 5,000 £

Canton Insurance Office, Ld. .. 1881 8 . 2,500,000 10,000 \$

Straits Insurance Co. Ld. 1886.\$ 3,000,000 30,000 \$

Hongkong Fire Insur. Co., Ld. 1868 \$ 2,000,000 .8,000 \$

China Fire Insurance Co., Ld. 1870'8 2,000,000 20,000.5

Straits Fire Insurance Co., Lt. 1886 3 2,000,000 20,000 \$

H'kong & Whampon Dook Co., Ld. 1886 \$ - 1,562,500 12,500 8

Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf } 1886 \$ 1,000,00 20,000 \$

Howloon Land and Building | 1889 8 300,000 6.000 8

Trust & Loan Co. of China, &c., Li. 1889 £ 1,000,000 ±1,250 £

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Singapore Insurunce Co., Ld. ... 1884 \$ 4,00 ,000 40,000 \$. 1008

of coming and never fully appreciated when | promptly, before we can draw a breath, feelings of our too impressionable chum, species only to be met with in the colonies, the girl at the strawberry stand opposite we the next woo est labels to such filmy slen-audinally find rest for the coles of our feet make tracks in her direction. The big lus- der things as the beautifying maiden hair, This is an improvement in every way on Awa, though in the girl's bright eyes and Prince of Wales' feather, the tall proud the over-crowded and noisy Hotels. Time cheeks lie the main attraction evidently for tree fern, and the rare beauties alk and Poor New Zealand having been so long tion in the George Street tram takes us sake, my dear fellow, don't be so reckless, which used by the Maoris as food before in the bottomless pit of commercial de- to within a short walk of the entrance, and and for the future let us buy our strawber- the advent of the white man, and others pression, in the valley of the shadow of silently depositing our half crown on the ries from the Chinaman's green grocer's to which we are only now being introduced big loans and mis-government, seems at ledge of the window marked 'change' we shop on our way out George Street. We for the first time. From the Fernery we

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No. of Value of Shares Share. Shares

Capital.

200,000 8,000 \$

1,600,000 89,000 8

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175,000 3,500 3

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they do come. Arriving in Dunsdin on a broken up into two shillings and six perces we anxiously pilot him past the guiling bright morning in January we are favour- We are allowed no time to speculate on the Hebe at the refreshment bar on our left, ably impressed with the beautiful tity the possible owner of that hand ; was it a man and see him safely through the glass doormoment we set eyes upon it. The air is so or a woman, or something more uncanny into the Fernery in front of us. Grace-aclear and exhilarating, the oun so brilliant still I It was not ' only a face at the win- Dien. After the dust and glare of the without being over-powering, and there is dow; 'twas only a hand, nothing more, street the cool shady quiet of the Fernery a general look of eleanness and neatness not even a sleeve or a cuff, but others be- is most refreshing. We are in the midst of about the place and the people which is hind us are pushing up to the mysterious a New Zealand form forest. Glades and proceed to do systematically the various consuling to note in these days of labour- window and we move on through the bar- gullies, cascades of falling water, rocky strikes, of so much want and misory in rier where we are allowed to deposit no cairns and overhanging trees, miniature many large cities at home. There is an more nor less than a shilling. Just inside lakes and rivers. To sit here and eat strawabsence of that rush we expected to see, we pause to admire the artistic decorations berries. It is an Idyl

DIVIDEND.

231,343,91 20 per cent. 55 p. ah. for | Sept. 10, 89 \$70, buyers

Amount.

ah. for 1888

113,000 (10 % for 1888, 5)

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Whenpaid.

31 per cent, for 12 m. | Jan. 18, 89 Tls. 93, sales

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14 p. o. for 1888, 10 p. Jan. 2, 90 \$120, sales

% int. div. 1889, | April 1, 89 \$221, sales

303,349.20 \$23 p. sh. for 1888 Feb. 25, 90 \$355, buyers

244,085,53 | \$3 p. ab. to a/c yr. f0 | Feb. 25, 90 \$85, buyers

119,818 (=30 per cent. per year)

119,818 (51 per cent. for 1889)

for 1889 (42 per cent. int. dir.)

to a/c 1889

29,968.02 | 5 p. c. for 6 m. ending | Feb. 25, 90 53 % prem.

2,755.25 {21 pr. cent. int. div. on old Cap of \$1,700,000 for 6/m. end. 30/6/39. } July 27, 89 \$80, nom.

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1,760.48 8 % for yr. eud-ing 30 June 1889 | Sept. 23, 89 \$63, sellers

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Mar. 4, 90 \$200, nom.

Jan. 24, 99 \$45, nom.

Nov. 5, 89 \$22, sellers

Oct. 1, 89 245, sellers

Feb. 24, 90 par, sellers

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14 per cent. for 1888 on old capital of \$33,000 April 14, 89 82 0, nom.

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April 11, 90 Tls. 3624, sales

April 27, 89 3144, sellers

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

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a/c-1889

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arriving as we do so close on the New Year of the dome above, and comment on the All the known New Zealand forns, and holidays, but as we go from hotel to hotel cleaquess and neatness so characteristic of their names are legion, are here, as well as in a vain search for rooms, we begin to Daniedin here evident too. We glance many rare specimens from Queensland and think the place is more full than it looks. round at the 'Cours' radiating off from the the neighbourhood of Sydney. We marvel However, we give ourselves up to the circular vestibule and decide to take it in at the weight of science which has given tender mercies of an 'express-man,' a sections. The first section of interest being such portentous long names as we read on in very comfortable and home-like rooms. clous strawberries remind us of ! Aberdeen | the curious kidney fern, the graceful being before us, that is what is left of it, some of us. else how is the exerbitant price stag's horn from Queensland. Besides ferns we make an inspection of our quarters, of her delicious wares so easily winked at. the rocks and pullies are deluged with soft search out our letters of infroduction, and We make some remark to the above effect and cool mosses, and the bush flora is representlater, wend our way to the great centre of are reminded that everything is dearer in- od by the Nikau Palms, the small flowering attraction the Exhibition. A Penny Sec- side an Exhibition. Then for Heaven's orchida, the mamuka of the South Island

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Hongkong, Saturday Noon, 26th April, 1890.

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sees no attraction for us after the delightfully natural and chaotic arrangement of the mosses and ferns, climbing, croosing, hanging all over their damp rocks within. So we retrace our steps into the Fernery again, through the Scylla and Charybdis of the strawberry stand and refreshment bar, though not without some trepidation, and Courts. But alsa for our system ! Wo are just getting well into the study of the antiquities of New Zealand by means of the maps and charte of Tarman and Cook, when we are interrupted by an imperative command to come and look at the flute made from the arm-bone of the Urewera Chief, Ngarangikakapiti, killed 150 years ago, and the thigh-bone and jaw of formidable proportions of the Muor Giant ; at the Tomahawk used by Tckooti's butcher and bugler, and then at the flute made from the leg-bone of Te Kooti's butcher and bugler. One cannot but moralize here on the sad irony of fate. Anxions to learn all we can we wish to know if the functions of butcher and bagler have always been combined in this country, as seems to have been the custom in its carla days, and of course if arms and leg-hones were found to be the best material out of which to make musical thetruments we can understand how the two roles came to be combined. We have road somewhere of Pharaoh's butler and baker, and we supposo To Kooti's butcher and bugler oto have been a still more important functionary, being two evidently run into one Again baffled in our attempts to pursue our antiquarian studies we reluctantly follow our volatile companion in a rapid cruise round the court and receive a mixed imbression of spears and adzes, canoes and

tomahawks, bone-needles and shawl-pine, feather garments and flax mats; of photographs and fish-hooks, crochet counterpance | 12 (noon) to 2 p.m. every quarter of an hour. and orazy patchwork quilts, armlets and hipornaments, boomerange and battle-axes. As we enter the Victorian Court the scene changes and we descend at one step from heathendom to civilization. Here are lifesize horses and carriages, vil paintings and pleasure boats, cooking stoves and dustbins, works of art and agricultural products. To the credit of Dunedin be it recorded this is the cleanest and best-kept exhibition we have ever attended; it is all good except the flooring which is execuble, and the arrangement of the dining-hall, concert hall, side shows etc. all of which we can't find nowhere, and after some fruitless attempts and much walking, which some-how always brings us back to where we start from, we return to our den thoroughly tired, but

first day at the exhibition. AUGUSTUS GRANT.

TEN MONTHS' SUFFERING IN A HOSPITAL.

having enjoyed more than we expected our

THERE is an old saying that physicians are a class of men who pour drugs, of which they know little, into bodies of which they know less. This is both true and untrue at the same time. There are good and poor doctors. The trouble with these medical gentlemen as a profession is that they are clannish, and apt to be conceited. They don't like to be beaten at their own trade by autsiders who have never studied medicine. They therefore pay, by their frequent failures, the penalty of refusing instruction unless the teacher bears their owne Hall Mark.

An eminent physician-Dr. Brown-Sequard, of Paris-states the fact accurately when he says: The medical profession are so bound up in their self confidence and conceit that they allow the dismond truths | (Formerly Asympter Apprentice and Lat of science to be picked up by porsons on irely outside their ranks. We give a most in-teresting incident, which illustrates this A and American patients and friends, important truth.

The steamship 'Concordia,' of the Donaldson Line, sailed from G asgow for Baltimore in 1887, having on board as a fireman a man named Richard Wade, of Glasgow. He had been a fireman for fourteen years on various ships sailing to America, China, and India. He had borne the hard and exhausting labour, and had been healthy and strong. On the trip we now name he began for the first time to feel weak and ill. His appetite failed, and he suffered from drowsiness, heartburn, a lad taste in the mouth. and costiveness and irregularity of the bowels. Sometimes when at work he had attacks of giddiness, but supposed it to be caused by the heat of the fire room. Quite often he was mek and felt like vomitimg, and had some pain in the head. Later during the passage he grew worse, and when the ship reached Halifax he was placed in the Victoria General Hospital, and the ship sailed away without him. The house aurgeon gave him some powders to stop the vomiting, and the next day the visiting physician gave him a mixture to take every four hours. Within two days Wade was much worse that the doctors stopped botl the powders and the mixture. A month passed, the poor fireman getting worse and

Then came another doctor, who was to be | Current Rates. visiting physician for the next five months. He gave other medicines, but not much rehef. Nearly all that time Wade suffered great torture; he digested nothing, throwing up all he ate. There was terrible pain in the bowels, burning heat in the throat, heartburn, and racking headache. The patient was now taking a mixture every four hours, powders one after each meal to digest the food, operating pills one every night, and temperature pills two each night to stop the cold awents. If drugs could cure him at all, Richard had an idea that he took enough to do it. But on the other hand pleurisy set in and the doctors took ninety ounces of matter from his right ride and then told him he was sure to die. Five months more rolled by, and there was another change of visiting physicians. The new one gave Wade a mixture which he said made him tremble like a leaf on a tree.

At this crisis Wado's Scotch blood assertod itself. He refused to stand any more desing, and told the doctors that if he must die he could die es well without them as with them. By this time a cup of milk would turn sour on his stomach, and lie there for days. Our friend from Glasgow was like a wreck on a shoul, fast going to bioces. We will let him tell the rest of his experience in the words in which he communicated it to the press.

He says: When I was in this state a lady whom I had never seen came to the hospital and talked with me. She proved to be an angel of mercy, for without her I should not now be alive. She told me of a Syrup," and brought me a bottle next day. I started with it, without consulting the doctors, and in only a few days time I was 1892 5 % prem., but of bed calling for ham and eggs for breakfast. From that time, keeping on with Mother Seigel's great remedy, I got well nom, fast, and was soon able to leave the hospital and come home to Glasgow. I now feel as ness of any kind.

The above incts are calmly and importially stated, and he reader may draw his own conclusion. We deem it best to use no names, although Mr. Wade gave them in his original deposition. His address is No. 244. Stoborom Street, Glasgow, where icttere will reach him.

intimations.

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Hougkong, August 25, 1885.

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